

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.	:	10/595,856	Confirmation No. 7985
Applicant	:	Haoshen Zhou et al.	
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Examiner	:	Julian A. Mercado	
Customer No.	:	00270	
Title	:	NANOCRYSTAL OXIDE/GLASS COMPOSITE MESOPOROUS POWDER OR THIN FILM, PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE SAME, AND UTILIZING THE POWDER OR THIN FILM, VARIOUS DEVICES, SECONDARY BATTERY AND LITHIUM STORING DEVICE	

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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

This Amendment is timely submitted in response to a non-final Office Action dated October 16, 2009. The three month response deadline without extension for responding to this Office Action is automatically extended to January 19, 2010, since Tuesday, January 19, 2010 is the first business day following Saturday, January 16, 2010. Kindly amend the application as set forth below.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 10 of this paper.